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July 17, 2003

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Mr. Brian Johnson  
Branch Chief  
Securities and Exchange Commission  
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450 Fifth Street, NW  
Judiciary Plaza  
Washington, DC 20549

Dear Mr. Johnson:

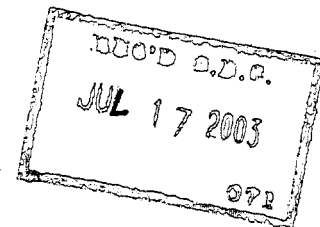
The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Riverwood Holding, Inc., Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on July 17, 2003. Tentative listing date – Not yet determined.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian Johnson".



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